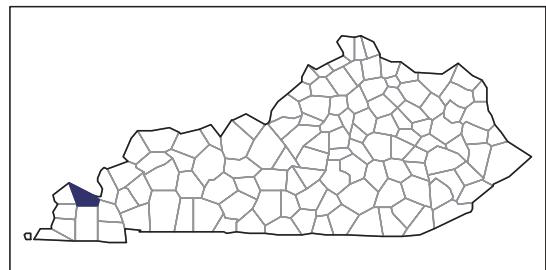


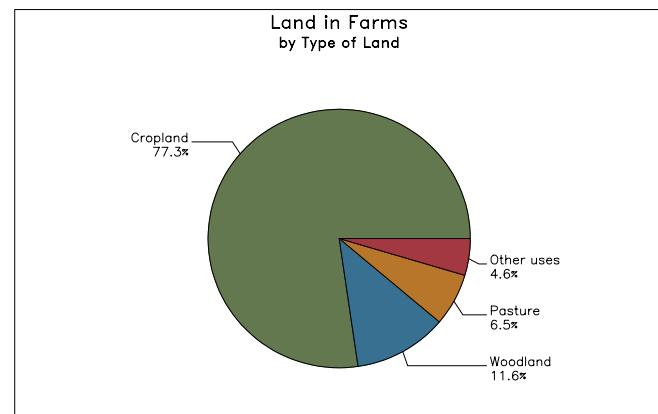
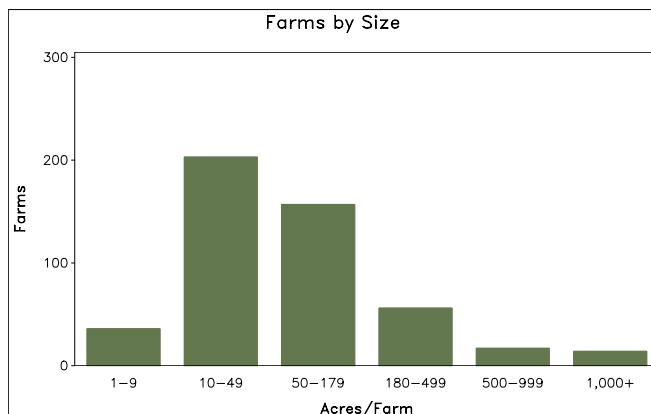
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## County Profile



### McCracken, Kentucky

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	483	531	- 9
<b>Land in Farms</b>	75,341 acres	85,459 acres	- 12
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	156 acres	161 acres	- 3
 <b>Market Value of Production</b>	 \$20,973,000	 \$15,812,000	 + 33
Crop Sales \$14,910,000 (71 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,063,000 (29 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	<b>\$43,422</b>	<b>\$29,777</b>	<b>+ 46</b>
 <b>Government Payments</b>	 \$918,000	 \$920,000	 - 0
Average Per Farm	\$3,313	\$4,553	- 27



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Ranked items among the 120 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	20,973	61	120	2,218	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	14,910	30	120	1,634	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,063	71	120	2,341	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,448	23	117	1,183	2,933
Tobacco	395	88	106	258	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	869	5	117	854	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	106	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,831	13	111	842	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	50	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	313	95	120	2,451	3,054
Poultry and eggs	3,351	29	120	787	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,712	89	120	2,386	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	110	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	21	86	118	2,261	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	379	38	119	636	3,024
Aquaculture	(-)	(-)	40	(-)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	2	81	111	2,500	2,875
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	31	104	(D)	2,476
Cattle and calves	4,590	95	120	2,500	3,060
Hogs and pigs	(D)	27	114	(D)	2,958
Layers <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	120	(D)	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	111	(D)	2,627
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	19,998	19	100	832	2,039
Corn for grain	16,393	24	117	1,000	2,634
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,864	102	120	2,316	3,060
Wheat for grain, all	2,381	22	93	1,284	2,481
Sorghum for grain	882	6	22	490	1,158

### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	213
\$1,000 to \$2,499	69
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43
\$5,000 to \$9,999	38
\$10,000 to \$19,999	29
\$20,000 to \$24,999	15
\$25,000 to \$39,999	17
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	27
\$250,000 to \$499,999	13
\$500,000 or more	10
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	17,553
Average per farm (\$)	36,343
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,549
Average per farm (\$)	11,489

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	173
Other	310
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	401
Female	82
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.3
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	2
Asian	(-)
Black or African American	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	651
More than one race	6
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.